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On behalf of OFIC, attached is a photo depicting the two sample slices of different Douglas-fir trees shown during public testimony on SB 926.

The large one on the left is from a 46-year-old Douglas-fir grown on privately managed land using best available silvicultural cultural practices for this disturbance-oriented native species including regeneration harvest, site preparation, replanting and vegetation management.

The small one on the right is from a 56-year-old Douglas-fir grown on federally managed lands, which are primarily managed for different values with significant restrictions on harvest and reforestation. On these lands post-fire salvage, appropriate reforestation and vegetation management are largely prohibited or significantly impeded activities.

This clearly demonstrates the superior ability of private forests to sequester and store carbon when best management practices are applied.





